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A Second portion of spacer
that extends upwardly beyond the gate
electrode 14.

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Attachment

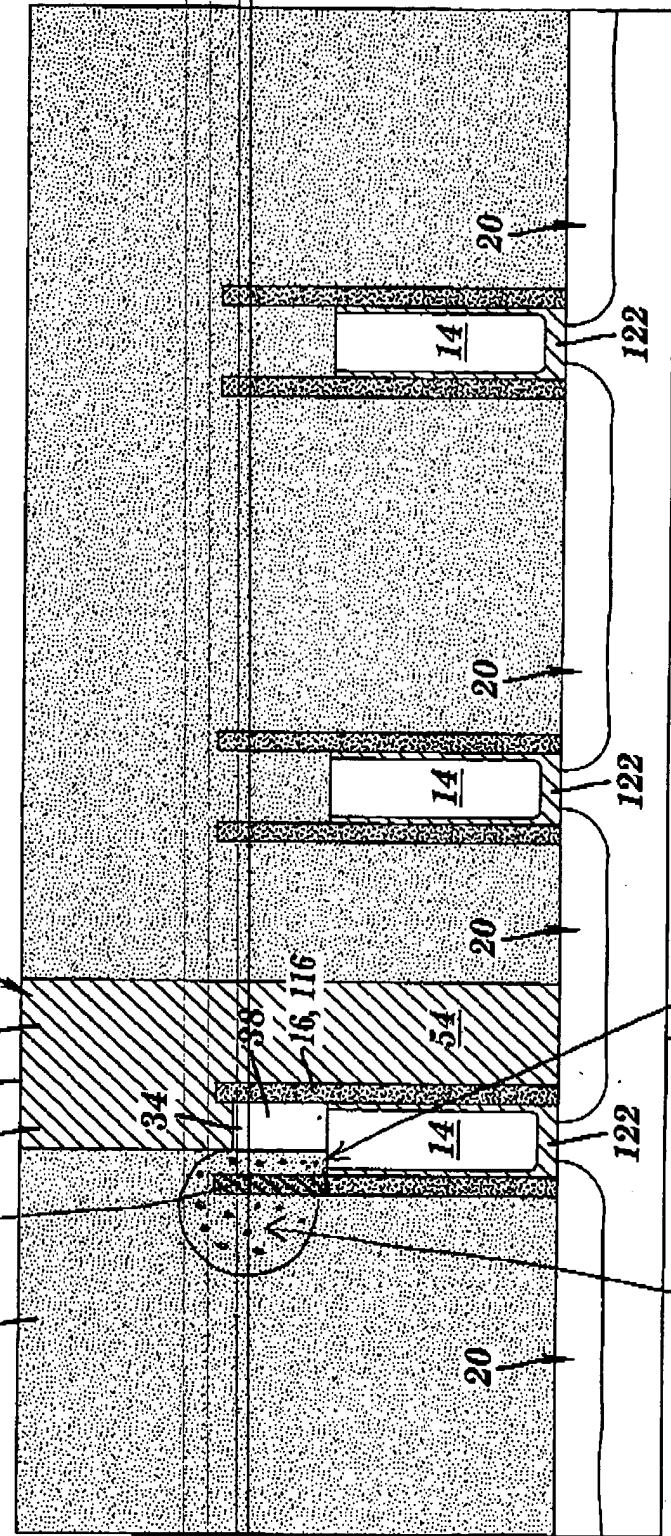


FIG. 19

insulating layer 24 having a portion that extends on two opposing vertical sides of a second portion of the spacer 16 contacts gate electrode 14